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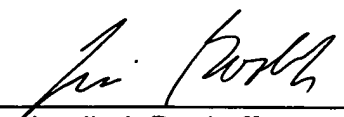
**SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Subject to the approval of the Examiner, please replace the informal drawings with the seventeen sheets of formal drawings filed herewith (Figures 1A-B, 2A-E, 3A-C, 4, 5A-B, 6, 7, 8A-B, 9, 10A-C, 11A-B, and 12A-B). If the formal drawings for any reason are not in full compliance with the pertinent statutes and regulations, please so advise the undersigned.

If any fees are necessary for the submission of these formal drawings, please charge our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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